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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: **Krishnamachari Gopalan**
 Appln. No.: **10/690,141**
 Filed: **October 21, 2003**
 For: **COMPOSITE EXTRUSION FOR
TRIM SEAL STRIP AND METHOD
FOR FORMING SAME**

Examiner: **Hugh B. Thompson**
 Art Unit: **3634**

Attorney Docket No: **5709-167**

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- ☒ Reply Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2005 (Paper #20050720), the shortened statutory period of response having been extended one month to November 27, 2005 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

- I. Listing of Claims, beginning on page 2;
- II. Remarks, beginning on page 6.

Applicant notes that the Transmittal to which this paper is attached includes a Certificate under 37 C.F.R. §1.8; and a fee statement calculating any fee(s) presently due in connection with the filing of this paper, along with an authorization to charge any fee deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23-1925

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